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## In the news

**Firefighter dies after blaze**

A 17-year veteran of the FDNY died yesterday in the line of duty in Bushwick. Brooklyn Borough President Marty Markowitz said that Lt. Richard Nappi died while fighting a warehouse blaze on Flushing Avenue. Nappi, who lived in Farmingdale, N.Y., left behind a wife and two children, Markowitz said. Several other firefighters were also injured in the afternoon blaze.

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## In the news



**Pulitzer critic**  
Queens Councilman Peter Vallone Jr., criticized the Pulitzer Prize Committee for its decision to give the AP a Pulitzer for its coverage of how the NYPD spies on Muslim communities. "Wow, they got an award for breaking the news that the NYPD keeps communities where terrorists come from under surveillance?" Vallone told Capital New York.

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► Samuels

## Former Mets clubhouse manager banned

**QUEENS.** Charlie Samuels, the former longtime clubhouse manager for the New York Mets, was sentenced yesterday after he admitted to stealing more than \$2 million worth of memorabilia from the team.

In February, Samuels confessed in Queens Criminal Court he had stolen almost

\$2.3 million worth of on-field and game-used Mets memorabilia and collectibles, including autographed jerseys, bats and baseballs. He also evaded paying city and state taxes on the gear.

Yesterday, a Queens Supreme Court judge formally sentenced Samuels to five

years' probation. As part of his guilty plea, Samuels agreed to pay \$75,000 in back taxes and restitution, including \$25,000 to the Mets.

In a final twist, Samuels is banned not only from Citi Field in Queens, but also from the New York Mets' minor league park in Brooklyn, and

their spring training facility in Port St. Lucie, Florida.

"He had a baseball fan's dream job, but allowed greed to get in his way," said Queens District Attorney Richard Brown.

"He's now lost his job and his reputation," he said.

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**Second Avenue subway worker pinned**

**UPPER EAST SIDE.** A construction worker on the Second Avenue Subway project was pinned under a piece of concrete yesterday, according to the New York Post. The chunk of concrete fell from a piece of machinery and onto the worker's leg, trapping him, according to the report. The accident happened at Second Avenue at 86th Street at about 12:45 p.m. The man screamed for help until he was freed by emergency workers. He was treated for non-life-threatening injuries.

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**High-ranking cops accused of racism**

**BROOKLYN.** Two high-ranking NYPD supervisors are accused of treating African-American suspects "like animals," according to an explosive report in the New York Daily News. The allegations came out as part of a federal discrimination lawsuit filed by Detective Debra Lawson. Lawson filed the suit saying that minority members of her unit were passed over for good assignments and promotions. © METRO/CB

## Occupy Wall Street seeks shelter at Federal Hall

- Five protesters charged yesterday after weeklong nightly sleepovers
- Activists say they were unlawfully arrested ► OWS vows to stay on Wall Street, say they are protected under the statue of George Washington

Protesters with Occupy Wall Street sought refuge from the NYPD yesterday on the steps of Federal Hall, a historic city landmark which also happens to be federal property — and out of the NYPD's jurisdiction. A police officer told Metro yesterday the NYPD cannot make arrests at Federal Hall unless federal officials ask them to.

Their move comes after five protesters were arrested at 6 a.m. yesterday after sleeping on the nearby sidewalk overnight.

These were the first arrests since protesters began camping with sleeping bags and blankets near the New York Stock Exchange last week under a 2000 court order that allows sleeping as a form of protest, so long as half the sidewalk is still accessible for pedestrians.

As Wall Street workers began filtering to work Monday at 6 a.m., police told protesters they could not sit, lay down, or obstruct sidewalk traffic. One officer picked up a cardboard sign that belonged to Conner Hicks, who tried to pull it back before he was arrested.

"I think it's completely unfair. I feel like I have a right to make a sign," said Hicks, who returned to Federal Hall upon his release from police custody. "All of us have a right to be here and stand up for what we feel is right."

Police said the five protesters face charges including harassment and violation of local law, though they would not provide details of the circumstances leading to the arrests.

"The NYPD makes up the law as they go," protester Jack Amico, 23, told Metro. "They lie ... and they falsely arrest people."

At about 5 p.m., a park ranger outside Federal Hall used a bullhorn to alert OWS that their new campsite was closing, and asked that they do not sleep on the steps.

NYPD officers stood nearby in groups and police vans lined the streets.

Prominent civil rights attorney Norman Siegel, who played a major role in litigating the legal case that begat the law that protects public sleeping in protest, said he was reviewing footage of the arrests and may assemble a legal team to fight the charges.

"It's questionable why after a week, they all of a sudden said they couldn't be there. It's all suspect," Siegel said.

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**Can protesters sleep on the sidewalks?**

The court order stemmed from a tenants' advocacy group where protesters slept on the sidewalk to symbolize homelessness. In 2000, the U.S. District Court ruled that the city cannot prevent people from using public sleeping as a form of protest, as long as the gathering is orderly. © METRO/CB



► Occupy Wall Street set up camp at Federal Hall yesterday.

**Protester claims NYPD threatened to take his dog**

Protester Jack Amico said police have become so strict with Occupy members, that officers even harassed him by threatening to have his dog taken from him. Amico said his leashed puppy, Ava, was sleeping on the sidewalk at his feet when officers told him he would have to hold her in his arms because it is illegal for pets to

sleep on the sidewalk.

"I was threatened that they would call the ASPCA because she doesn't have her shots yet," Amico said. "I told them the law states you don't have to have an animal's shots until they are six months of age and (she) is three and a half months. He said, 'You can't prove that.'" © METRO/CB



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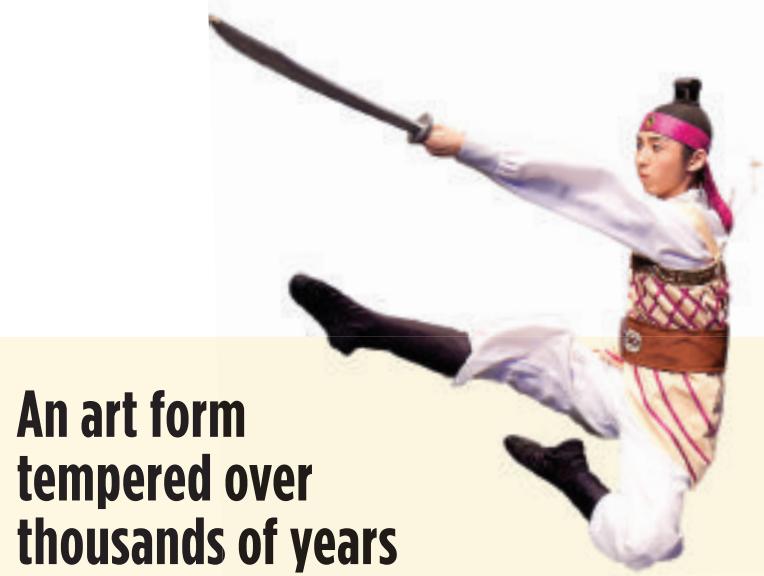
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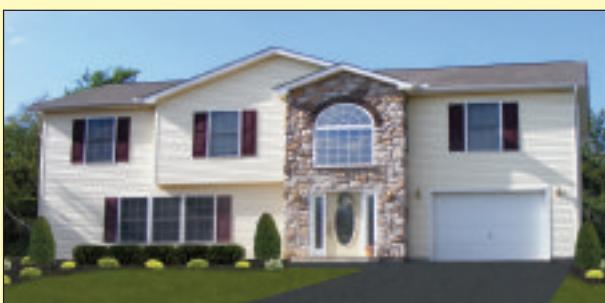
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# Elevator deaths often follow human error

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► Cities like Los Angeles and Detroit require elevator mechanics to be licensed, as do 36 other states, but New York does not.

Most elevator accidents that occur in New York City are caused by human error, and happen in elevators that were recently repaired, city officials revealed yesterday.

At a Council hearing pushing for tougher elevator safety regulations, Department of Buildings Commissioner Robert LiMandri said 19 people have died in elevator accidents since 2003. Most of the accidents were caused by human error during a recent repair, he said.

The hearing followed several deaths, including that of Suzanne Hart, 41, who was crushed to death in December when her Midtown office elevator shot up suddenly. After Hart's death, a Buildings Department investigation blamed

maintenance work that disabled a safety device.

A mechanic was also fatally electrocuted while working on an elevator in March.

LiMandri told the Council he supports a city bill that would require elevator mechanics to be licensed.

"We know we have to target the people that are doing the work," LiMandri told reporters after the hearing. "We need to make sure they're qualified."

Supporters of the bill, proposed yesterday, are pushing to

require every elevator mechanic in the city to be licensed under a city-mandated test.

Bronx Councilman James Vacca pointed out that workers like plumbers and electricians are required to have licenses. Even "porn dealers are licensed," he said.

Queens Councilman Peter Vallone chimed in that under the regulations now, "My cousin Vinny could be inspecting the elevator in your building."

LiMandri said he supports licensing. "So that when you walk into an elevator, you know that the person who was in there five minutes before is trained."

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So far this year, the DOB has recorded 12 elevator accidents.



► DOB Commissioner Robert LiMandri spoke yesterday.

## 10 percent of US elevators here in city

NEW YORK. An estimated 10 percent of the country's elevators — about 60,000 — are in New York City. And lifts here are 14 to 17 times more likely to be in accidents than

in states where mechanics are licensed, Councilman James Vacca said yesterday. "New York City has some of the strictest inspection requirements in the country."

That said, it does not have the strictest requirements for mechanics," said DOB Commissioner Robert LiMandri. ■ METRO/AB

## Not all are in agreement

NEW YORK. Nicholas La Guardia, director of the Joint Committees of the Elevator Industry, a group of elevator mechanics, called the legislation "a recipe for disaster." He said mechanics already face strict requirements, and added that technicians on serious jobs would likely have met requirements to be licensed already.

"The licensure of all mechanics would not have prevented these accidents," he said. "It would only provide a false sense of security to the riding public."

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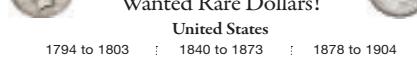
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# Trial starts for man accused of 2009 subway bomb plot

The trial for one of three Queens men accused of planning a 2009 suicide attack on the city's subway system began yesterday in Brooklyn federal court.

Adis Medunjanin, 27, and two other New York men were recruited by Adnan Shukrijumah, one of al Qaeda's top operatives, for a planned bombing of subway lines in Manhattan in 2009, according to the U.S. government. The two other men, Najibullah Zazi and Zarein Ahmedzay, pleaded guilty in 2010.

The men wanted to do it around the eighth anniversary of the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks, prosecutors said. Ahmedzay and Zazi, like Medunjanin, lived in Queens.

All three have been held in custody since their arrests.

"In September 2009, three men were prepared to strap bombs to their bodies and walk into crowded subway cars," Assistant U.S. Attorney James P. Loonam told jurors in federal court in Brooklyn yesterday. "These men came so close, within days, of carrying out this act before they were stopped."

Medunjanin was taken into custody after a Jan. 7, 2010, incident in which he swerved his silver Nissan Altima into another vehicle at more than 90 miles an hour, followed by government agents, on an expressway in Queens, prosecutors said. Shortly before he crashed his car, Medunjanin

dialed 911 and screamed in Arabic, "We love death more than you love your life," according to the government. The crash occurred about an hour after law enforcement officers left his home in the Flushing neighborhood of Queens following the execution of a search warrant for his passports.

"Mr. Medunjanin never planned to bomb the New York City subways," defense attorney Robert C. Gottlieb told the jury. "He never joined any plan to go to Afghanistan to kill members of the United States military."

U.S. District Judge John Gleeson is presiding over the trial, which may last about three weeks. **BLOOMBERG**



► Adis Medunjanin, third from left, is shown in this courtroom sketch. Medunjanin is an alleged associate of Afghan immigrant Najibullah Zazi and both were charged with planning an al Qaeda-linked plot in 2009.

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## Shoe bomber will testify

A Briton convicted of plotting with "shoebomber" Richard Reid to carry out a suicide bomb attack on an aircraft has had his jail term reduced after striking a deal to give evidence at Medun-

janin's trial.

Saajid Badat, 33, was convicted in Britain in 2005 of conspiring with Reid to blow up planes in simultaneous attacks and was sentenced to 13 years in prison.

Britain's Crown Prosecution Service said yesterday his jail sentence had now been shortened to 11 years

after he agreed to testify at the trial of Medunjanin, as well as at trials for other suspected al Qaeda militants.

Medunjanin is accused of conspiracy to use weapons of mass destruction, conspiracy to commit murder and providing material support to al Qaeda.

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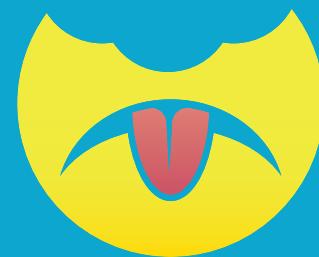
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# Physics student Justin a finalist in Metro's race to go into space

Boston resident Justin Dowd has dreamed about going into space since starlight first streamed through his telescope as a little kid.

Now, he might have that chance to soar toward the stars. Dowd, 22, a fourth-year student at Northeastern University, was chosen as the US finalist in Metro's Race to Space.

"This is just awesome," Dowd said after finding out he beat out thousands of contestants for a chance to launch into space. "I have wanted to go to space my entire life," he said.

Dowd, who is studying physics, first learned about the contest while filling in a Sudoku puzzle while riding the train. Knowing it was a long shot and his chances to win would be slim, he set to work on the application process.

"The reason I study physics is to learn new things about the world," he said. "The more you learn, the wider your views become — and I can't think of a better way to see the world in a new way than to see it from space," he said.

For the contest, Dowd submitted a video discussing "relativity" as it pertains to space.



► Justin Dowd is the U.S. finalist in Metro's Race to Space.

In the animated mini-film, he used more than 3,000 photos of hand-drawn chalk murals in time lapse to animate Albert Einstein's discoveries.

Dowd admitted the prospect of going to space was exciting, but he was equally enthused about the training that takes place prior to launch.

"I would have gone through the whole application process just to go on a fighter jet or the zero-gravity training," said Dowd. "I'm a little bit of adren-

aline junkie."

Dowd and the other finalists from Metro newspapers around the world will now be interviewed, via Skype, by executives at Metro's international headquarters in Sweden. A winner will then be selected to travel into space from a base in Curacao, following an intensive series of training missions in Europe.

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## News in brief



### Obama raised \$53m in March

**WASHINGTON.** U.S. President Barack Obama's re-election campaign and Democratic groups affiliated with it raised more than \$53 million in March, showing a jump in fundraising over the previous month as the general election gets underway.

More than 567,000 donors gave money to Obama's

cause and 97 percent of the donations were \$250 or less, the campaign said in a video released to supporters.

Fundraising by Obama groups has picked up gradually over the last three months. The campaign and its Democratic allies raised more than \$45 million in February and a combined \$29.1 million in January.

REUTERS

### Clemens faces new perjury trial

**WASHINGTON.** Former baseball pitching ace Roger Clemens arrived in court yesterday for a new trial on charges he lied to Congress about taking steroids, nine months after a judge stopped his first

trial in its opening days because of a misstep by prosecutors.

The presiding judge said he expected the trial to last up to six weeks. REUTERS

### Tobacco companies pay \$6.5B to cover health bills of sick smokers

**WASHINGTON.** Three of the biggest U.S. tobacco companies said yesterday they have paid a total of \$6.5 billion this year to U.S. states under a 1998 national accord that obliged companies to help cover the health bills of ailing smokers.

Altria's Philip Morris paid \$3.5 billion, said spokesman Steve Callahan. But the Marlboro-maker, which makes the biggest payments, is disputing \$206 million of that sum, and has put that money in escrow. REUTERS

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# Will moms decide next US president?

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That sound you just heard may have been the collective screams of whatever remains of the weak-kneed Democratic establishment: The re-election of President Barack Obama is in legitimate trouble, if you take the latest Gallup poll at face value.

(Chill out, Democrats: You know we have no more regard for the Republican coalition. But you can't deny their superior knee strength!)

According to the Gallup Daily poll released yesterday, Mitt Romney is currently leading Obama among national registered voters by two percentage points, 47 percent to 45 per-

cent. This may not seem like much, but it does constitute a possible electoral deficit for the incumbent president as the heated general election campaign season gets rolling.

For some context, George W. Bush won a very close re-election in 2004 — some say it was stolen, owing to a conservative Supreme Court decision over voting irregularities in Florida, but that's for another day — after leading John Kerry by 4 percentage points in this poll in April of that year. George H.W. Bush, however, lost to Bill Clinton in 1992 after leading the eventual president in the same poll 41 to 26. (The presence of Ross Perot, who grabbed 25 percent in that poll, undeniably complicates analysis of that year.)



► Dueling polls presented two very different pictures of the U.S. electorate yesterday.

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Then there's the CNN/ORC International poll released yesterday, painting a very different picture of the electorate. In that survey, Obama leads Romney by nine points, 52 percent to 43 percent, a fissure fueled largely by the gender gap that's made so many headlines these past few weeks. According to these numbers, women voters favor Obama over Romney by 16 points, furthering the narrative that GOP policy has divided voters by sex and taking some of the wind out of claims that Republicans are winning the "war on women."

What these numbers presage, at the least, is a very close race for the White House in November. Take note, moms.

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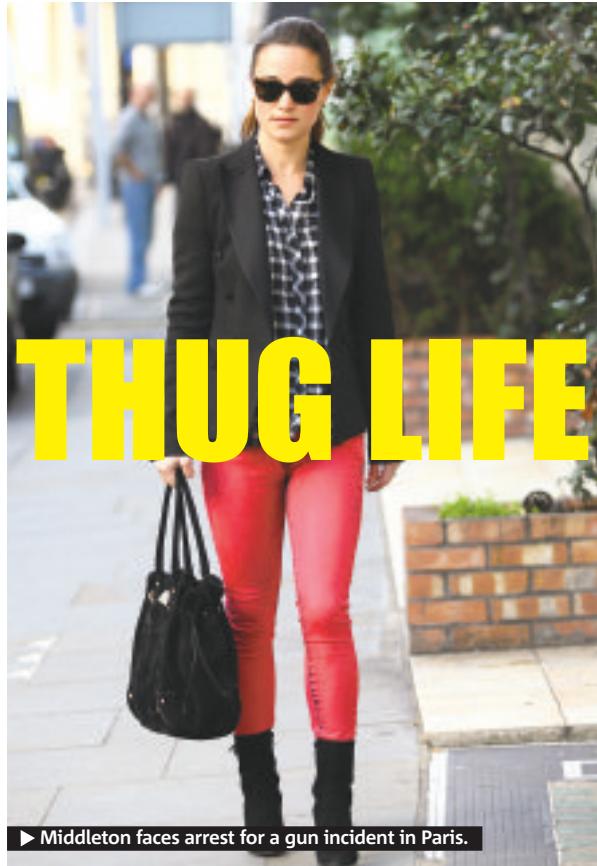
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## Pippa, get your gun?

**Pippa Middleton** could face prosecution for her involvement in an incident in which an unnamed male friend brandished a semiautomatic handgun at a photographer in Paris, according to the Sun. A photo taken by the paparazzo shows Middleton — the sister-in-law of **Prince William** — grinning in the passenger seat of a convertible as the driver aims the firearm at the camera. Paris police officials are expected to launch an investigation. "If the evidence points to her involvement, she will be prosecuted. Anybody involved in the illegal use of a handgun in public is liable to arrest and interrogation," a source says, adding that if the gun proves to be real, brandishing it in a public place is punishable by up to seven years in prison "for all parties involved." (Also in the car was Middleton's friend, fashion mogul **Arthur de Soultrait**, who sat in the backseat.) If it was a fake gun, the maximum sentence is two years.

Wait. You can get two years in prison for showing off a fake gun in France?

And here I thought their attitudes toward fat people were harsh.



► Middleton faces arrest for a gun incident in Paris.

### Talking points

#### Segel is in l-o-v-e

Jason Segel is lobbying hard for the title of Most Adorable Boyfriend, as the "How I Met Your Mother" star apparently tapes photos of girlfriend Michelle Williams to the back of his iPhone case, according to the Daily Mail. Segel was spotted carrying the personalized phone in L.A. this weekend. A photo alone would be sweet, sure, but Segel also has the phrase "I love you" scribbled over and over again around the pictures. "They're much



more serious than everyone thinks," a source says. "They're really happy."

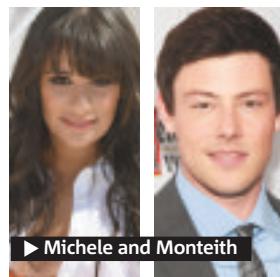
#### Who's that Efron in the mirror?

Zac Efron admits that after packing on 18 pounds of muscle to play a Marine in "The

Lucky One," he didn't know who was staring back at him from the mirror. "By the end of the movie, I didn't recognize myself," Efron tells Men's Health. "You hear about guys like Christian Bale who dive into it and are really able to transform. I've always wondered if I had the willpower to actually do it. And I'll always have pride around the sense that I can." Efron, who's back to his slimmer 145 pounds, says his secret is a healthier-than-normal work ethic. "I could pick up almost anything. If you put it in front of me, I could always find a way to tackle it," he says. "I was never a natural at anything, but I could always outwork everybody."

#### The 'Glee' romance: It's on!

"Glee" co-stars Lea Michele and Cory Monteith took their real-life romance to the Coachella music festival this weekend, according to Us Weekly. Monteith arrived after Michele at a VIP pool party —



► Michele and Monteith

but reportedly made up for his tardiness with some public displays of affection. "He tapped her on the shoulder and she was so excited to see him, she threw her arms around him and they hugged and kissed on the lips," a source reports, adding that the couple then retreated to a private cabana. "Their arms were constantly around each other and they were talking very close. They definitely looked like a couple with how affectionate they were being in public." Michele wasn't shy about her excitement online, either: "I just saw a really hot 6-foot-3 Canadian with a tribal arm band hanging by the pool," she posted to Twitter when he arrived. "So happy."



### The feed ...

► Checking in with some of Hollywood's biggest names to see what they've been up to — in their own words, in 140 characters or fewer.

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**@ricky\_martin**  
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**@SarahKSilverman**  
What if we definitively found out there's no God or Allah or anything? Would there be more killing or less? Discuss

**@SethMacFarlane**  
You guys know who Cecil B. DeMille was? No? Okay, that's okay, I've got a tweet about him but never mind.



Sarah Silverman

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## Tupac Shakur rises from the dead (in hologram version)

**1:** David Beckham and his son Cruz Beckham attended the game between the Dallas Mavericks and the Los Angeles Lakers at Staples Center on Sunday in Los Angeles, California.

**2:** Chicago native John Cusack attended the 2012 Chicago Comic

and Entertainment Expo at McCormick Place on Sunday in Chicago.

**3:** "Smash" star Debra Messing attended the opening night of "Peter and the Starcatcher" on Broadway at The Brooks Atkinson Theatre on Sunday in

New York City.

**4:** Beyoncé and Jay-Z attended the New York Knicks vs. Miami Heat basketball game at Madison Square Garden on Sunday in New York City.

**5:** Tupac Shakur was resurrected

more than 15 years after his death in the form of a hologram in order to perform "Come With Me," "Hail Mary" and "Gangsta Party" alongside Snoop Dogg at Coachella Valley Music & Arts Festival on Sunday in Indio, Calif.

**6:** Actor Paul Reubens, aka Pee-

wee Herman, attended the 10th Annual TV Land Awards at the Lexington Avenue Armory on Saturday in New York City.

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# Splitting the difference between right and wrong

**► In his debut novel, 'When Captain Flint Was Still a Good Man' author Nick Dybek explores the murky waters of morality in a seaside town**

**C**al, the protagonist in Nick Dybek's new novel, "When Captain Flint Was Still a Good Man," has teen angst, but justifiably. Though his parents are on the brink of separating, domestic troubles are just a sliver of those brewing in his Pacific Northwest village. After the patriarch of the town's founding family dies, the fate of a community reliant on the fishing industry is left in the hands of the man's spoiled son, who has never worked on his father's fleet. Tensions hit a boiling point between the heir and the fishermen, and likewise in Cal's own home. Abandoned and uncertain of his future as the world around him unravels, he forms unexpected bonds and is forced to make a decision that could jeopardize more than his new friendships. We asked Dybek about the themes of allegiance, morality and destiny in his thrilling debut novel.

**Your title refers to "Treasure Island," both a coming-of-age tale and a commentary on moral ambiguity. This accurately describes your novel, too.**

When I started to write, I wasn't thinking about "Treasure Island." But it was a book that meant a lot to me when I was a kid. I was writing something that was so far from my own experiences, and bringing in "Treasure Island" is like a point of reference to help me under-

stand [Cal]. Aside from being about fantasy, "Treasure Island" is also about disillusionment. When the narrator Jim Hawkins first meets John Silver and the other pirates, he doesn't realize what they really are. He looks up to them as romantic, larger-than-life figures. There's a parallel with how the narrator of my book sees his father and the other fishermen. **The novel proposes that we're all capable of anything. No matter how hard we try to do the "right" thing, do we inevitably fail?** That someone could be a good man or a bad man — it's silly. Who makes up these terms of absolute moral value? It's about a person who thinks they're doing what they have

to do, and it may end up hurting others. But in that moment they have their reasons. My first job was teaching at a correctional facility. They wore striped jumpsuits but other than that, there wasn't a real distinction between these "bad people" inside and the "good people" out in the free world. **Those terms are so nebulous: right, wrong, good, bad.** Totally. The title of the book is almost a red herring. It wasn't like Flint one day was a good man and one day was a bad man; his actions expressed who he was in a different way at a certain point.

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► Read our full interview with Nick Dybek online at [www.metro.us/books](http://www.metro.us/books).

## His own destiny

**The characters struggle with what they can and can't become. When you were Cal's age, was there something you wanted to do that never came to fruition?**

I wanted to be a musician. I took a shot playing in rock bands, but I was never very good so I decided I'd better find a way to make a living. I'm

not sure why I thought fiction writing would be a better way to do that. [Laughs] My father is a writer. Writing and books were a prevailing culture in our household. I actually resisted giving into that for a while because it wasn't rebellious. A lot of parents would be like, "No, you're going to law school." That just wasn't the case with mine.

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## 'Ringer'

**DRAMA.** Bridget and Andrew

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## 'Lidia Celebrates America'

**REALITY.** We love Lidia Bastianich because of her "everybody's Italian grandmother" demeanor and the yummy recipes she demonstrates on her cooking show, shot in her home. So it's no surprise that she's been invited as a guest to witness wedding ceremonies around the country that observe different cultural customs — and, of course, food. **8 p.m., PBS**

## 'The Voice'

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## Live through this

► Hole drummer Patty Schemel discusses her life and near-death story in new documentary ► 'Hit So Hard' details the drug addictions, casualties and redemptions in the explosion of the grunge era

When Patty Schemel brought a box of videotapes over to the house of P. David Ebersol, she thought she was just going to be digitizing the footage that she shot while playing drums for the band Hole.

"While we were dubbing everything, David would ask, 'What's going on here?' Schemel recounts, "And then he made the comment that this was a really great story and that I should do something with it."

Ebersol was right on both counts. The footage in their new film, "Hit So Hard" catalogs the stormy weather of being in a rock band and includes rare eye-of-the-hurricane moments with Courtney Love and Kurt Cobain. As for the "do something with it" part, under Ebersol's direction, Schemel unravels a dark thread of her descent into drug addiction and eventual redemption.

"I hadn't seen a lot of it in so long and so every day I would leave there with a real heaviness," says Schemel, who has been clean and sober for seven years. What hits so hard about "Hit So Hard" isn't just the drugs and deaths they led to,

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► Schemel always had her trusty camera on tour.

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but also the ugliness of the music industry. At one point, she is forced out of the band because a producer doesn't want her playing on "Celebrity Skin," Hole's follow-up to their breakthrough "Live Through This" album. When it comes time to filming the video for the first single, they recruit a look-alike to play drums.

"I remember being so out of it at the time, I was like, 'Really? Maybe I was there!'"

She's exaggerating. Schemel seems to approach her past

with a healthy perspective. She has been on the cover of Rolling Stone and she has lived on the streets, but she seems to be living very much in the moment. She also retains a solidarity with her former bandmates, all of whom appear in the film.

In interview portions, Courtney Love is candid about the chain of events, even placing some of the blame on herself for Schemel's departure.

"I think she trusts that I'm not gonna screw her over," says Schemel.

## About a girl

The previously unseen footage of Kurt Cobain is one of the most exciting aspects of "Hit So Hard." Schemel was initially going to play drums for Nirvana before Cobain auditioned Dave Grohl. But the two remained close, and he was the one who suggested that she play for his wife's band. Ebersol says this Cobain was a surprise to see on film.

"The vision I had of him before I saw this footage was that



he was just in this tortured mode, sitting in a corner, shot up with heroin and waiting to die," he says. "But he was a really full person who was creative and loved, and you get to see such a different side because of this."

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# Mastering the summer fringe

► Rooney Mara's bangs, inspired by 'Girl With the Dragon Tattoo,' were all over the runways in March  
 ► But does this look work in hot, sticky weather?

"Cutting in fringe is a great way to change up your look dramatically without chopping all your hair off," says Los Angeles-based hairstylist John Ruggiero, who has worked wonders on the locks of Elizabeth Olsen and Gisele Bundchen. He talks us through how to keep bangs looking cool and fresh as the weather heats up.

### 1 Go bold

It's been a little while since "Girl With the Dragon Tattoo" hit theaters, but Rooney Mara's hair is just beginning to take off as a trend (as witnessed by all of the blunt-cut bangs in last month's runway shows).

Let's be honest, though: A major part of the appeal is her attitude. "The best way to pull off a really cool fringe like Rooney Mara's is to have that effortless confidence. I'm seeing a lot of different fringe styles right now — straight, wavy, long, short, super-short — but it's all about figuring out which look works best for you and owning it."

### 2 Pick your products wisely

Yes, you want your hair to look great, but you don't want to cause forehead breakouts under your bangs. "Always go for a product that is lightweight and

that will protect your hair against heat and humidity. Something like Bumble and bumble Straight Blow Dry cream will work best. And maybe add a light holding spray at the end," Ruggiero adds.

### 3 Maximize one cut

Turn the most annoying part about wearing bangs — the fast grow-out — into an opportunity to play around with your 'do. "Cut your fringe really short and then let it grow out, getting a trim every four to six weeks," he says. That way you can go super-short one week, and longer and side-swept the next.



► Behold, the look that started it all: Rooney Mara's razor-sharp, super-cropped bangs.

### What to use

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Pregnancy can be an exciting time in a woman's life — it's also an achy one, as carrying around that extra weight and fluid puts strain on her back, joints and legs. Booking a prenatal massage is the first step to seeking relief. We asked Alexis Nahoum and Becky Raik, licensed massage therapists and co-owners of the Brooklyn massage studio Melt Massage and Bodywork, what they think women should know before booking a prenatal treatment.

swelling/edema in limbs.

### Stress matters

Stress can increase the maternal heart rate and blood pressure, reduce blood supply to the uterus and contribute to a higher incidence of miscarriage and premature birth. A nurturing and soothing massage presents a powerful experience of relaxation and support that benefits both mother and baby.

### What to look for in a massage therapist

Although all licensed therapists are qualified to perform prenatal massage, those who are specifically prenatal-certified have additional knowledge and experience. Find someone who will take the time to talk to you about your goals and adjust the session for any complications or specific needs you may have.

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### There are some caveats

Although some therapists prefer not to work on women in their first trimester, prenatal massage can be practiced safely throughout the entire pregnancy up until and even past the due date. It is common for women to book

sessions close to or after their due dates have passed, as working specific acupressure points and promoting relaxation can be an effective and healthy means of stimulating labor. However, it is always good to get any adjunct therapy cleared with your doctor or midwife first, especially if there are any complications.

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We got some of TD Bank's tips for teaching your kids financial literacy in a way that won't put them to sleep.

► **Give them an incentive:** "For every XX dollars you save, I'll add XX dollars to your account." Even a dime for every dollar will help them understand the reward.

► **If there is a particular item** your child wants, have him or her cut out a picture of it and post it in a visible place. It will remind your kid of the goal at



► Start encouraging good saving habits at an early age.

hand.

► **Have a family game night** with games like Monopoly Junior, Payday and Life.

► **If you choose to provide** an allowance, turn it into an opportunity to teach your kids about saving, spending and wants versus needs.

► **Encourage and help them** dedicate portions of their allowance to different goals, such as spending, short-term saving for a video game or bike and long-term saving for college or their first car.

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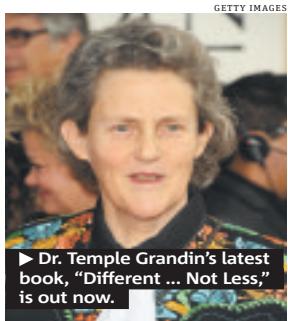
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## Temple Grandin on 'geek genes'



**"If it weren't for autism, we'd have no engineers, artists and scientists."**

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The CDC recently announced that 1 in 88 U.S. children has autism — a 78 percent increase in cases from 2002 to 2008.

Dr. Temple Grandin has been dealing with autism all her life. She's written books and lectured widely on the subject, earning much of her insight by dealing with her own autism, a story documented in the recent Claire Danes-led HBO biopic "Temple Grandin."

"If there weren't autism, we'd have no engineers, artists and scientists," Dr. Grandin, whose new book is "Different ... Not Less," tells Metro. "I call it the 'geek genes.' If you look at films of mission control and the people operating the space program, it's definitely 'geek genes' at work there. Autism is a broad spectrum."

Dr. Grandin names Steve

Jobs and Albert Einstein as being among the millions of people within the autistic spectrum, which ranges from mild to severe and includes variants like Asperger's syn-

drome and Heller's syndrome: "Einstein didn't speak until he was three," she says.

Dr. Grandin didn't speak as a toddler either, but early intervention and therapy meant

### 7 early autism spectrum signs

- **By 6 months:** No big smiles or other warm, joyful expressions.
- **By 9 months:** No back-and-forth sharing of sounds, smiles or other facial expressions.
- **By 12 months:** Lack of response to name.
- **By 12 months:** No babbling or "baby talk."
- **By 12 months:** No back-and-forth gestures, such as point-

ing, showing, reaching or waving.

- **By 16 months:** No spoken words.
- **By 24 months:** No meaningful two-word phrases that don't involve imitating or repeating.

*Observing these red flags does not mean that a diagnosis of ASD will be made — there can be many other clinical issues in play, and in some cases development may in fact just be delayed.*

*Source: Helpguide.org/parents.com*

the difference between being institutionalized as mentally disabled and who she is today: a Colorado State University professor with a Ph.D. in animal science and a world-renowned livestock expert advocating humane treatment and slaughter for farm animals.

Dr. Grandin says autism is complicated, and she thinks it's caused by a mix of genetics and environmental factors such as pesticides, medications absorbed in utero and plasticides. She advocates a healthy diet and supplements such as fish oil to prevent or ease the severity of the condition during early development.

"The most important thing is early intervention," she says. "It makes all the difference."

### The trouble with today

Autism is now better understood and less stigmatized, but Dr. Grandin thinks modern society isn't a good model to help children with autism who have social interaction and behavioral problems: "Kids with autism who grew up in the '50s like me had less problems because we were taught social skills. We were taught to say 'thank you' and have manners. There's less guidance for children on how to behave these days."

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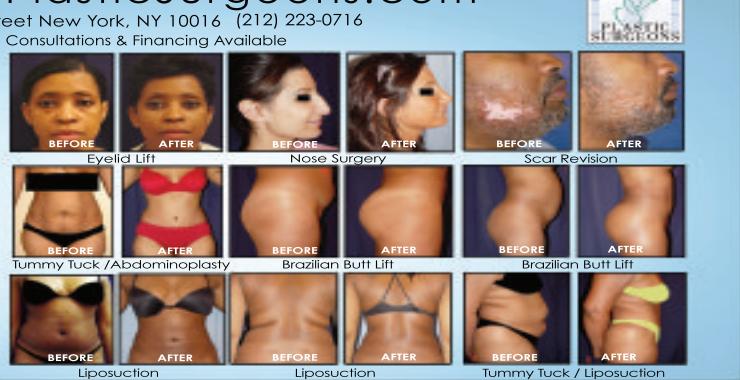
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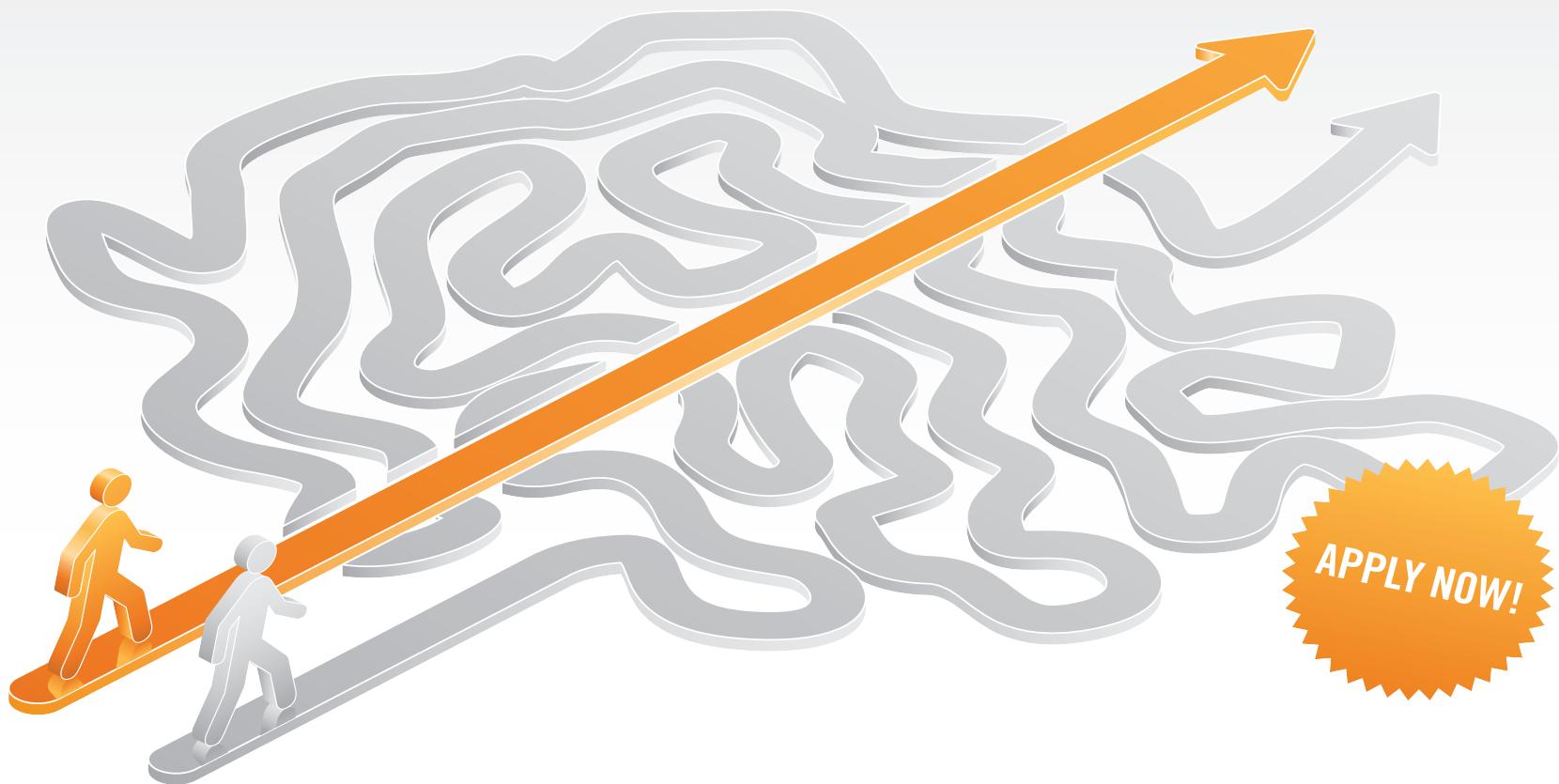
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**Mixed bag on Romneys, mothers**

**RE: "THE WAR ON MOMS KEEPS ON GOING":** I doubt that Mrs. Romney actually does the laundry for the family. If the Romneys can afford an elevator for their automobiles, they certainly can afford a team of domestics to do the actual household and child care work. Hilary Rosen was quite correct: These people have no understanding of what life without economic privilege is like; it's all about self-aggrandizement for them. **LEWIS WALSH, VIA E-MAIL**

In fairness to Mrs. Romney and all other mothers who can afford to stay home: There's nothing better than raising your own children, if you can swing it. There is no evidence that the Romney children were raised by maids and butlers, none

whatsoever. As a non-Republican, I have to state that the kind of comments Mrs. Romney has been subject to are unfair and irrelevant. Incidentally, Suzy Sandor, about half of the 99 percent you referred to don't pay federal taxes. I'm also sure that if our president "took time away from the 99 percent to defend the .000001 percent" he felt it necessary and needs no advice from you. **ADELAIDE VERPONI, BROOKLYN**

**"If you raise taxes on the rich ... you can start to rebuild the country's infrastructure."**

**RE: "TAX CUTS ON RICH DON'T HELP THE POOR":** Alan Jacobs' criticism of tax fairness as

the equivalent to getting robbed is ridiculous in the extreme. Of course the government isn't going to just hand out checks to "the poor" (Mr. Jacobs fails to define them) if it increases the tax rates on the ultra-wealthy. Those increased collections would instead go to creating more opportunities for them to get out of poverty, a far more laudable goal than defending the already-privileged. I can't see why Mr. Jacobs would object to this in the first place. **JOSEPH CONNELL, BROWNSVILLE**

Here's how it works: If you raise taxes on the rich (who pay less percentwise than a middle-class family) you can start to rebuild the country's infrastructure. Which means you can hire people, you know, poor people who don't

have jobs. You can feed and clothe the homeless, you know, people who don't have homes. And most importantly you can do medical studies on people who are confused about how this works.

**ROBERT LA ROSA, WHITESTONE**

**Fact: Violence often ends in jail time**

An ignorant America in full bliss, George Zimmerman was charged by the state of Florida with murder in the second degree. The protest was to get the state to investigate and review the case. And they worked to get Zimmerman arrested. It was Zimmerman's own actions of that night that put him into jail. He shot and killed an unarmed 17-year-old who was not committing any crime at the time. The protest worked because they were peaceful but also loud; you people can't get over the fact that black people gained justice through protest and not violence. Zimmerman used violence and now he's in jail!

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**Horoscope**

**T** Aries March 21-April 19. If you have work of a mental nature that needs to get done, try to find yourself a secluded corner. The fewer disruptions you have, the more you'll get accomplished.

**T** Taurus April 20-May 20. Take advantage of an opportunity to spend some time with a recent acquaintance you found to be quite interesting. Things could develop into a fun friendship.

**I** Gemini May 21-June 20. Don't hesitate to spend some time trying out a few of your newer ideas. You actually won't know how good they are until they have been tested under real-life conditions.

**C** Cancer June 21-July 22. When it's properly challenged, one of your more valuable assets is your curiosity. Take some time to learn something about how to advance your personal interests.

**L** Leo July 23-Aug. 22. An arrangement you have with another that seems to be going nowhere could be subjected to some modifications. Your actions will put you on a productive track.

**V** Virgo Aug. 23-Sept. 22. You may be required to make an important decision, but consider it carefully, because it might need several alterations that'll prove to be helpful as

well as beneficial.

**L** Libra Sept. 23-Oct. 23. When in a business meeting, you should pay close attention to the small details. Although they aren't always important, the nitty-gritty will be especially vital at this time.

**S** Scorpio Oct. 24-Nov. 22. Because you'll be in a friendly mood, in which others will enjoy being with you as much as you'll enjoy being with them, this should turn out to be a very pleasant day.

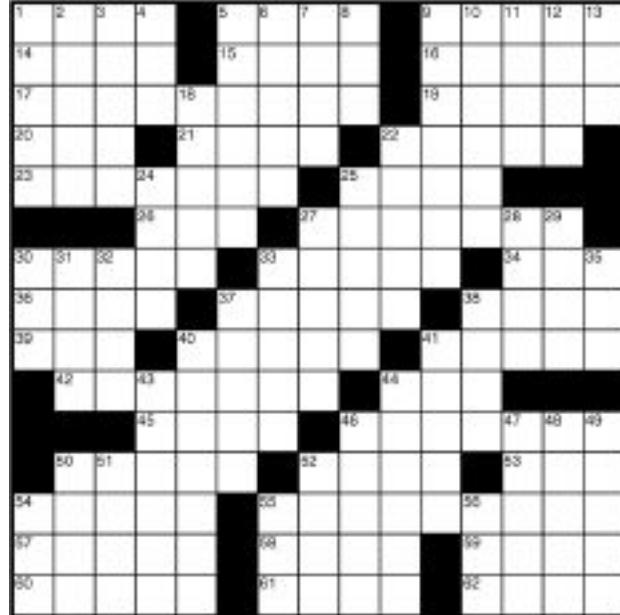
**S** Sagittarius Nov. 23-Dec. 21. Owing to some very valuable information you'll get that was previously denied you, an important matter can finally be completed to your advantage and satisfaction.

**C** Capricorn Dec. 22-Jan. 19. It behoves you to double your efforts to get in touch with an important someone who has recently proved elusive. You'll finally make contact, with big results.

**A** Aquarius Jan. 20-Feb. 19. Be alert for a new way to enhance your material security. There are several strong indications that you will come up with a bright, ultimately profitable idea.

**P** Pisces Feb. 20-March 20. Don't delay what you want to do by waiting on slowpokes lingering over a second cup of coffee. Much can be accomplished when you get an early start. **BERNICE BEDE OSOL**

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1 Soda fountain order  
5 Tosses  
9 Hydroplane part  
14 Right on!  
15 Bombay nanny  
16 Martini extra  
17 Cliff-nesting gull  
19 Scoped out  
20 Poached edible  
21 Orpheus played it  
22 Smog creators  
23 Beginners  
25 "Lohengrin" bride  
26 Flair for music  
27 Checks for size (2 wds.)  
30 Throbbed  
33 Drizzles  
34 Awful noise  
36 Zen riddle  
37 Gaynor or Leigh  
38 Ugh!  
39 A fifth of DX  
40 Faxes, maybe  
41 Gauguin's prop  
42 Moral weakness  
44 Symbol of might  
45 Cronies  
46 Easy victims  
50 Advertising ploy  
52 -- noire  
53 Hush-hush org.  
54 Beauty aid  
55 Motel extras  
57 Gambling stakes  
58 Slightly open  
59 Wishes one hadn't  
60 Snicker (hyph.)  
61 Hoedown honeys  
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**Down**  
1 Inventor  
2 Friendly hombre  
3 Dismiss (2 wds.)  
4 Blaster's buy  
5 Counselor



6 Sharif and Khayam  
7 Harden, as clay  
8 Lauper's -- Bop"  
9 Concentrates  
10 Andes animals  
11 Belgian river  
12 Wide sts.  
13 Slugger -- Williams  
18 Priam and Hector's story  
22 Fire starter  
24 Piercing  
25 Iroquois speakers  
27 Cronyn's frequent co-star  
28 Ben Jonson works  
29 Polite  
30 Canine registry  
31 Afro or bun  
32 Kojak's lack  
33 Harangues  
35 Goalie's org.  
37 Simple dessert (hyph.)  
38 Ties up the phone  
40 Chatty feline  
41 Fridge raider  
43 Orbit extreme  
44 Movies with a posse  
46 Sachet component  
47 Get slippery (2 wds.)  
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► We know you're gonna stop by Big Ben and pose like Princess Kate in front of Westminster Abbey ► But visiting these hot spots will make you look like a local

While it's certainly freeing to be a tourist in another city — you can indulge in the quintessential activities you've always read about and not give a

hoot about taking a million pictures — it's also fun to live like a local, careening your way through little streets and hanging with the townies at

the neighborhood pub. If your travels soon take you to London, be sure to add these resident-approved experiences to your to-do list.

## Where to dine

**Rex Whistler Restaurant at the Tate Britain**

On view at the Tate Britain museum's eatery is "The Expedition in Pursuit of Rare Meats," a mural by British artist Rex Whistler. Stop by for a deliciously proper lunch, high tea, dinner or weekend breakfast. But hurry in — the restaurant is closing for renovations in July. [www.tate.org.uk](http://www.tate.org.uk)

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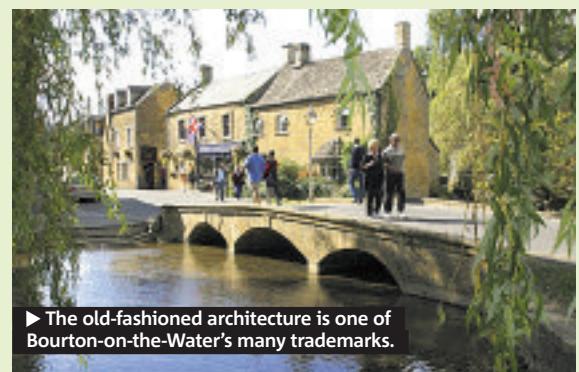
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**2 NYC's culinary influence:** Acclaimed chefs Alain Allegretti and Marc Forgione are also opening high-end Mediterranean and steak-

house restaurants. As you imagined, all the eateries have panoramic views of the ocean.

**3 The Social:** Like the Borgata, Revel has a massive concert venue — 5,500 seats — but also an intriguing secondary space like The Social, which seats 700 for live entertainment and can convert to provide different experiences depending on the act.

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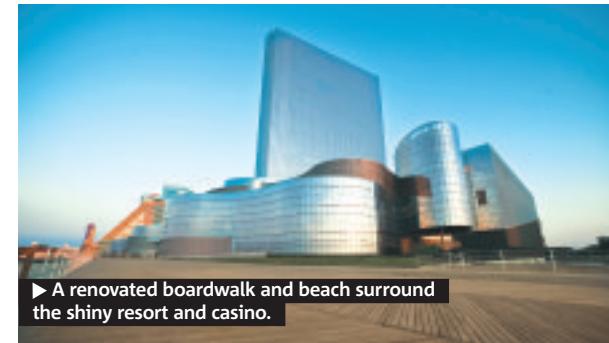
When Kevin DeSanctis began his career in Atlantic City many years ago, the CEO of the gambling mecca's new, \$2.4 billion Revel resort and casino wasn't working for casinos — he was monitoring them as a New Jersey state trooper.

His transformation into the top official at the resort town's most expensive creation ever is about as radical a makeover as the scuffling city needs from Revel to usher in a turnaround.

Its arrival comes at a time when Pennsylvania's "convenience" casinos just took over as the second-most revenue-drawing, by state, in the country. Speculation is that Atlantic City could do itself a favor in the years ahead by bulldozing a couple of its weakest links. (It now has 11 casinos, including Revel.)

"Casinos in Pennsylvania and New York are part of a convenience market. They've become not much different than [gamblers'] local bars," DeSanctis said of the proliferation of competition for gambling dollars. "We believe we offer a great alternative."

The alternative Revel offers is in its "leisure" approach to entertainment. Gone are the



► A renovated boardwalk and beach surround the shiny resort and casino.

days where Atlantic City's resorts catered mostly to gamblers. DeSanctis said a fundamental shift at Revel will be a new emphasis on entertainment outside the slots and blackjack tables.

In a stark contrast to its chief competitor for patrons, Borgata and its sister resort, the Water Club, Revel embraces Atlantic City's greatest natural resource.

"You can't build on the beach and turn your back to the ocean," DeSanctis said. During a tour of the property with Revel's principal architect, Michael Prifti, who also oversaw construction of the Borgata nine years ago, the Atlantic

Ocean was visible from almost everywhere in the resort.

The Revel Beach is still under construction, but will be ready by the official opening, Memorial Day weekend.

The ocean is as dominant upon a trip around the resort as the main gambling floor.

"I don't think anyone appreciates having to walk through a casino to get to your hotel room," Prifti said. "What we're trying to do is make people feel [like they're] going to have a good time."

It's a feeling Atlantic City needs a lot more of in the coming months and years if it's going to remake itself in the era of convenience gambling.

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## In the news

## Mets rolling

Dillon Gee looked more like an ace than a back-of-the-rotation starter as he shut down the Braves for a 6-1 win last night.

Gee pitched seven innings and allowed just four hits and one run, while striking out five.

A pair of rejuvenated bats did it on the offensive side, as Ike Davis broke the game open with a three-run homer in the sixth and Jason Bay tacked on a solo shot in the ninth.

Freddy Garcia made it further than his last start and did not throw any wild pitches. His problem was the combination of Joe Mauer, Justin Morneau and Carl Pavano.

All three played a key role in handing the Yankees a 7-3 loss against the Twins last night at the stadium.

Mauer drove in the go-ahead run in the fifth inning, Morneau added a mammoth home run in the sixth and Pavano made the Yankee bats look impotent for most of the night.

Garcia allowed five runs and nine hits in 5 2/3 innings. But his night was a story of

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▶ Pavano

bad innings in the first and fifth. How he performed in between those frames allowed him to reach the sixth.

After throwing 30 pitches in a two-run, five hit opening inning, Garcia cruised to the fifth by retiring 11 in a row with a one-run lead. He then lost the lead by allowing a go-

ahead RBI double to Mauer.

The Yankees scored their first two runs on consecutive solo home runs by Derek Jeter and Curtis Granderson, but were mostly kept in check by Pavano. He went seven innings and struck out six despite being booted all evening.

● LARRY FLEISHER

# King is back on top

► Lundqvist brilliant in 1-0 defeat of Senators in Game 3 ► Boyle scores only goal of game in third period ► Alfredsson sits out with a concussion



► Lundqvist was brilliant in net, earning a shutout with 39 saves, including a couple in crunch time.

A few shots to the head can do wonders to a person's self-confidence.

One game after Matt Carkner was suspended for Game 3 thanks to a vicious attack on New York's Brian Boyle, it was Boyle who scored the lone goal in the Rangers 1-0 defeat of the Senators.

It didn't come easy down the stretch as the Rangers faced a power play with just under seven minutes remaining in the game. Henrik Lundqvist made one point-blank save and the deflection was stolen by Boyle, who outraced the defense on a breakaway and earned a slashing penalty to even the advantage again.

Then, with just over a minute left, the Senators pulled their goalie and threw a last minute flurry of shots at the net.

Lundqvist stoned two shots from inside 10 feet, first by Kyle Turris and then by all-everything Jason Spezza mo-

ments later, with under a minute to play.

Those would be the last chances Ottawa would get.

Lundqvist made 39 saves, many of which were far from routine.

Boyle's goal came 7:35 into the final period on a backhand from just outside the crease. It was his third this postseason.

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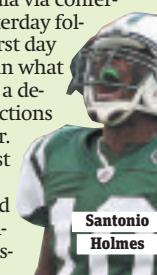
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## Jets' Holmes defiant in first comments

Jets wide receiver Santonio Holmes voluntarily spoke with the media via conference call yesterday following the first day of workouts in what amounted to a defense of his actions from last year. It was the first time Holmes had addressed the media following a disas-



trous 2011 for both himself and the team.

He was defiant when asked if he had contact with any teammates he may have criticized or offended.

"I had no reason to," Holmes said. "I didn't reach out to anybody this offseason for that matter."

Holmes was benched after a verbal altercation in the huddle in Week 17.

"It happened down in Miami, and that's where it's going to stay, down in Miami."

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## Alert For Nerve Pain Suffers

There may not be a cure for gas prices this summer, but if you are suffering from pain in your back, neck, numbness and tingling down your legs or in your hands - read on.

For many chronic pain sufferers the discomfort can start slowly. You can feel a dull pain, a little bit tingly or notice some numbness. But over time the pain, numbness or tingling can get much worse AND it can bother you more often. You may have to limit your activities because:

- Sitting Hurts
- Standing Hurts
- Walking Hurts
- Bending Hurts
- Working Hurts
- For Some Sufferers
- It Hurts to Lie Down!

If you suffer these symptoms it is normal to be depressed, frustrated and worried. You can stay up nights, unable to sleep, worried because the pain won't go away, anxious that it will affect your job, family or ability to enjoy life.

You've probably gone to doctors, right? So why do you still have symptoms?????

## FACT #1: Many Treatments FAIL Because They're Too Simplistic!

One thing I hear often from new patients is:  
"I've Tried Everything & Nothing Helps!"

You may have tried:

- |                       |                |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| - Orthopedics         | - Chiropractic |
| - Anti-Inflammatories | - Acupuncture  |
| - Pain Killers        | - Exercise     |
| - Muscle Relaxers     | - Yoga         |
| - Neurology           | - Bed Rest     |
| - Physical Therapy    |                |

Let's face it, pills and shots and other potions may be effective at the beginning of an injury, but they are no way to live in the long term. They can cause side-effects and don't fix the root cause of your problem.

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*Via Motorized Traction for Chronic Discogenic Low Back Pain  
Pain Practice, Vol 6, Issue 3, 2006 171-178*

Alex Macario, MD, Stanford University  
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*Effectiveness & Safety of Non-surgical Spinal Decompression  
The Journal of Medicine, December 2008,  
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- John Leslie, MD, Mayo Clinic Arizona

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*Thank you,  
Dale Eadeh, Staten Island, N.Y.*

*"I had terrible low back and hip pain. It affected my daily activities, just walking hurt. I hadn't had a good night sleep in a long time. I tried everything under the sun!! I tried P.T., prescription medication, acupuncture, epidural injections, etc, etc. Now, I find myself SKIPPING - I haven't moved this fast in a long time. My sleep is improving too.  
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